REMARKS

Claim 1 is being cancelled, Claim 2 amended to refer to new Claim 3. Claims 3 to 11 are added. The claims now active in the application are Claims 2 through 11.

In view of the fact that it has occurred, as the Examiner's Action notes, that the present application is not copending with Applicant's prior filed application Serial Number 694,589, now U.S. Patent 4,086,225, the statement that the present application is a continuation-in-part of said earlier application has been changed to reflect the actual situation.

Claim 1 has been cancelled and new Claims 3 through 11 added directed to the subject matter disclosed herein and not disclosed in the earlier application. Claim 2 now depends from Claim 3. Claims 4 through 11 are subgeneric species. It will be observed that working Examples 12 through 23 were not present in the earlier application. The presently claimed invention is drawn to a group of N-substituted piperidine derivatives.

Basis for the presently claimed subject matter is to be found in the specification as follows.

Page 3, lines 2 through the end of the paragraph, it is stated that X and Z of Figure I along with the C atom to which they are bonded form, among other possiblities, a substituted piperidine ring. At page 4, lines 2 and 3 it is disclosed that the substituent is preferably on the nitrogen atom. All the compounds of Examples 12 through 23 are N-substituted piperidine and the piperidine ring is incorporated into the rest of the

molecule in the para position since 4-piperidines are empolyed.

The present claims specify that R is (1) linear alkyl of 4 to 8 carbon atoms. At page 3, line 11, linear alkyl of 1 to 8 is disclosed and at page 3, last paragraph over to page 4, it is stated that alkyl of less than 4 carbon atoms are disclosed in the earlier application. This application extends the range to 8 by the recitation of 4 to 8 carbon atoms. (2) branched alkyl having from 4 to 8 carbon atoms, basis for which appears at page 3, lines 11 and 12, in combination with the statement at page 3, last paragraph as pointed out supra. (3) alkenyl having 3 or 4 carbon atoms, see page 3, line 11. (4) cycloalkyl having from 3 to 6 carbon atoms, see page 3, lines 12 and 13. (5) alkoxyalkyl having from 3 to 7 carbon atoms, see pages 3, lines 13 and 14, (6) alkyl furyl having 5 or 6 carbon atoms, see page 3, lines 14 and 15. (7) alkyl tetrahydrofuryl having 5 or 6 carbon atoms, see page 3, line 15. (8) alkanoyl having 5 or 6 carbon atoms, see page 3, lines 16 and 17, and page 3, last paragraph, wherein it is stated that acyl less than 5 carbon atoms is disclosed in the earlier application. This application extends the range to 6 for alkanoyl. (9) monohaloalkanoyl having 2 to 6 carbon atoms, see page 3, lines 17 and 18.

The above discussion also points out basis for the insert made at page 4, between lines 3 and 4.

The following tabulation correlates the new working examples with the various R radical groupings now recited.

Item	Example	Item	Example
1	12, 20	6	16
2	13, 22	7	17
3	14	8	23
4	15	9	19
5	21		

The amendments to the specification are simply intended to set off more clearly the subject matter now claimed.

The double patenting rejection over Applicants' prior patent is believed to be obviated by the enclosed terminal disclaimer. It is to be noted that there is no overlapping between the presently claimed subject matter and that of U.S. Patent 4,086,225.

The rejection under 35 USC 102 (b) on the German Offenlegungschrift no longer applies to the claimed subject matter. (Note may also be taken of the Belgium Brevet submitted in the Prior Art Statement of November 8, 1978). As pointed out supra, the presently claimed subject matter is not disclosed in the U.S. Patent 4,086,225. The disclosure of the German O.S. (and of the Belgium patent) corresponds thereto.

Favorable action upon the claims as they presently appear is earnestly solicited.

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